

## LABORITES ELECT HAYES CHAIRMAN

Cleveland, Ohio, Man Heads Convention of New Party.

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Keynote Speech Calls for Nationalization of Mines—Conflict Brewing.

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—Max Hayes of Cleveland was elected chairman of the national labor party convention which opened here today and is expected to continue through next Tuesday. A committee on resolutions, composed of 41 men and three women, was selected during the afternoon and went into separate session.

At the "get together" session this evening of the women's section of

the labor party, Miss Mary Lyon, of the labor party, representing the British labor party, was the first speaker. Miss Lyon, of Montreal, also spoke.

Discussion of the problem of the high cost of living will begin shortly after the adjournment of the afternoon session in this country in the speech of Warren R. Howe, Cleveland, grand officer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, who addressed the convention today.

He suggested that farmers rights to establish systems of well organized chain stores to handle food products by selling directly to the consumer.

Immediate restoration of the "right of free speech," abolition of mines, abolition of all special privileges in business are features in the political platform of the national labor party, said the keynote speech of Max Hayes, Cleveland, established today in opening the convention. The entire morning was taken up in examining credentials of delegates to the convention, which had a thousand of whom arrived today. Representatives of various organizations are attending the convention although it is said not a great number were invited to this meeting.

According to Mr. Hayes, the league of nations, high cost of living and other big present day problems will

be considered a part of the program. Efforts will be made, he said, to prevent the delegates from being taken from their homes. It is the possible that candidates will be nominated by the presidency of the United States as previously reported, he added, as it is desired to defer that action until next year's session of the party when it is hoped it will be more strongly of national scope.

No confirmation could be obtained of the announcement that Governor Lynn D. Frazier of North Dakota would speak at the convention, his attendance being considered an impossibility.

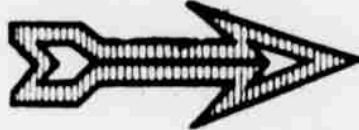
Many of the new party men were disappointed in the morning hall after morning after all night conferences passed, they said, by a conflict between radical and conservative leaders in the American Federation of Labor with possible impact on the controversy of a third member. The convention was called to order by John Fitzpatrick, president of the Chicago Federation of Labor, and chairman of the national steering committee, and his associates in the middle west.

Hard men in Japan. Instead of being led by a child of a dog carry a whip which they blow, and those who hear it leave the pathway free before them.

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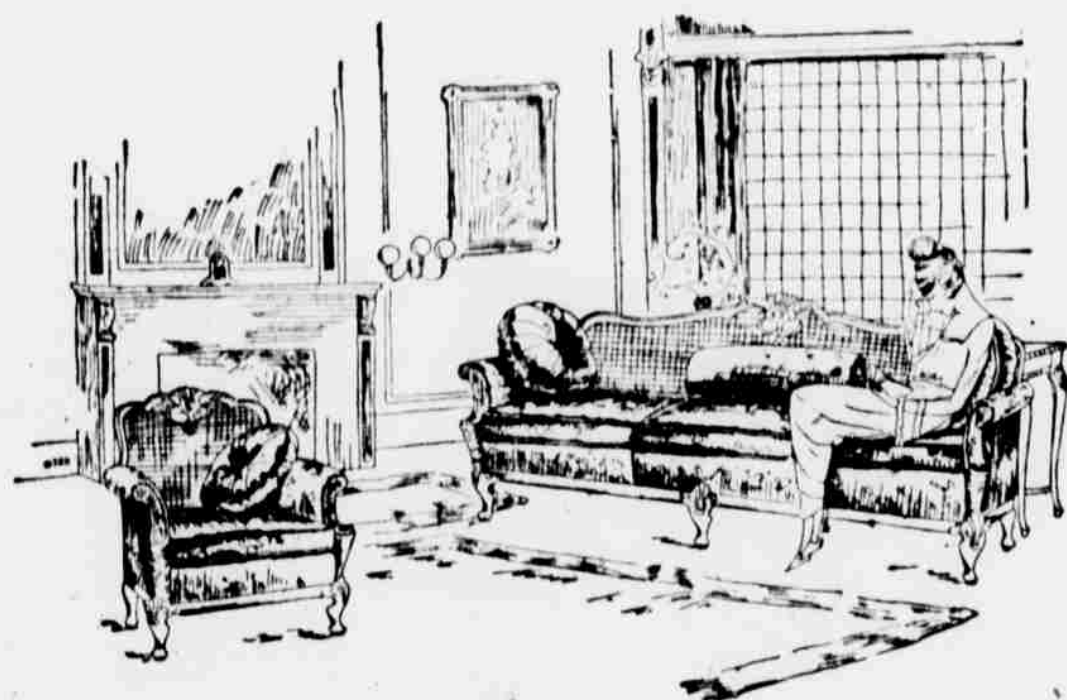
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